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Attorney Docket No. 5905.0056

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Maki KATO et al.

Serial No.: 09/135,024

Filed: August 17, 1998

For: DATA PROCESSING APPARATUS AND
PROCESSING METHOD AND MEDIUM
THEREFOR

Group Art: 2672

Examiner: Johnson M. Good

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

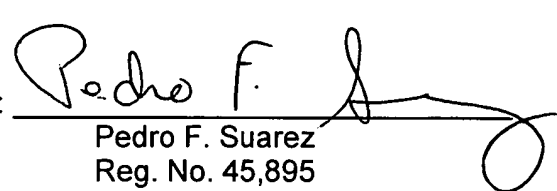
Applicants hereby petition for a three-month extension of time to reply to the
Office Action of February 23, 2001. A fee of \$890.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge
any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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